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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Shirley *et al.*  
Appl. No.: 09/188,051  
Filed: November 6, 1998  
For: COMPOSITIONS PROVIDING FOR INCREASED IGF-I SOLUBILITY

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Examiner: Kam, Chih-Min

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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

1. This is a petition for an extension of time for a total period of three months to respond to the Advisory Action dated September 24, 2002, which was issued in response to the Amendment filed September 3, 2002, in response to the Final Office Action dated May 31, 2002.

2. Applicant is ☐ a small entity; ☒ other than a small entity.

3. Calculation of extension fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1)-(a)(5)):

	Total Months Requested	Fee For Other Than Small Entity	Fee for Small Entity
<input type="checkbox"/>	one month	\$110.00	\$55.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	two months	\$400.00	\$200.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	three months	\$920.00	\$460.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	four months	\$1,440.00	\$720.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	five months*	\$1,960.00	\$980.00

\*Cannot be used to exceed six-month statutory  
limit for response to an Official Action.

Fee Enclosed \$920.00

- ☒ Charge Deposit Account No. 16-0605 for any additional  
extension and/or fee required or credit for any excess fee paid.

Respectfully submitted,

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